

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Anne Arundel County Police Department is scheduled for an on-site assessment as part of a program to achieve reaccreditation by verifying it meets professional standards.

Administered by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA), the accreditation program requires agencies to comply with state-of-the-art standards in four basic areas: policy and procedures, administration, operations, and support services.

As part of the on-site assessment, agency employees and members of the community are invited to offer comments at a public information session on Monday evening, April 7, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. The session will be conducted in the Training Room of the Anne Arundel County Police Department's Animal Control facility located at 411 Maxwell Frye Road, Millersville, MD 21108.

Agency employees and the public are also invited to offer comments by calling (410) 222-8688, on Monday afternoon, April 7, 2008 between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. Comments will be taken by the Assessment Team.

Telephone comments, as well as appearances at the public information session, are limited to 10 minutes and must address the agency's ability to comply with CALEA's standards. A copy of the standards is available at the Anne Arundel County Police Department - 8495 Veterans Highway, Millersville, Maryland. Local contact is Corporal Beth Miller at (410) 222-8544.

Anyone wishing to submit written comments about the Anne Arundel County Police Department's ability to comply with the standards for accreditation may send them to the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA), 10302 Eaton Place, Suite 100, Fairfax, Virginia 22030-2215.